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MAKING THE CERAMIC

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ELECTRICALLY SUPERCONDUCTING COMPOSITIONS AND For °

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DEVICES AND SYSTEMS BASED ON NOVEL SUPERCONDUCTING For

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#### Count 1

A crystalline essentially single phase composition having a perovskite like structure, exhibiting zero electrical resistance at a temperature of 70° K or higher, having the formula: the formula:

A<sub>1</sub> B<sub>2</sub> Cu<sub>3</sub> O<sub>V</sub>

wherein A is Sc, Y, La, Ce, Pr, Nd, Sm, Eu, Gd, Tb, Dy, Ho, Er,

Tm, Yb, Lu, or mixtures thereof:

B is Ba, Sr, or mixtures thereof; and

y is a value that provides the composition with zero electrical resistance at a temperature of 70  $^{\circ}$  K or above said composition having a purity of at least 90%.

The claims of the parties which correspond to this count

claims 24 and 25 Qadri et al

claims 16, 20-28, 47-49, 56-65 and 82-94 claims 1-10

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## INTERFERENCE DIGEST

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